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PATENT  
Case No. N0169US



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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Weiland et al.

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Serial No.: 10/620,732

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Filed: July 16, 2003

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For: Method of Representing Road Lanes

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Group:

Examiner:

**INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97-1.99, Applicant discloses the reference(s) listed on the attached form PTO-1449 for consideration by the Examiner.

Applicant requests that the Examiner review the entire disclosure of each listed reference. The Examiner is requested to acknowledge consideration of the reference(s) by initialing the appropriate location(s) on the form PTO-1449 enclosed herewith.

The present application was filed after June 30, 2003. Accordingly, copies of each U.S. patent and each U.S. patent application publication, cited herein, are not included, as permitted by the notice in the Official Gazette dated August 5, 2003.

Applicant submits that the claimed subject matter of the present application defines over the cited prior art.

Applicant does not represent any cited reference to be prior art and Applicant reserves the right to disqualify any reference by the showing of an earlier date of invention, if appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,



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LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR APPLICANT'S INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (use several sheets if necessary)	FILING DATE 07/16/2003	GROUP ART UNIT
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**REFERENCE DESIGNATION**      **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	FILING DATE
A1	6,624,782	09/2003	Jocoy et al.	342/70	
A2	6,510,382	01/2003	Wilson	701/208	
A3	USSN 10/918,668	7/2002	Painter et al.	N/A	
A4	US2002/0013659	01/2002	Kusama	701/211	
A5	6,292,752	09/2001	Franke et al.	701/300	

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO
A6	EP1096229	May 2001	Europe	G01C 21/26	x

EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)
A7	Web pages, NEC Research Index ( <a href="http://citeseer.nj.nec.com">http://citeseer.nj.nec.com</a> ) paper entitled "Mining GPS Data to Augment Road Models", (1999) Rogers et al., 21 pages

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